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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.

EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

Paste the Kaiser.

Paste the Kaiser in the eye with War Savings Stamps. Paste him time and again until he can't see his way out. Paste him in the eye with a War Savings Stamp and then paste him again and again. And hit him especially full in the face on June 28. Don't think you have already done your duty Pershing's men "over there" didn't go home after their first battle, they went after the Huns again and again, and they will keep on pasting the Kaiser.

Your Government has officially set Friday, June 28, as National War Savings Stamp Day. On that day every loyal American will be summoned to sign the pledge to save and invest in a definite amount of War Savings Stamps each month. Every real American will prove his loyalty and patriotism by agreeing to paste the Kaiser in the eye regularly. War Savings cost \$4.17 in June, and will be worth \$5.00 on Jan. 1, 1923.

Every family should be a family of fighters. That is the true war-time spirit of true-blue Americans, the spirit that will win the war. The day of talking patriotism has passed, and the time has now come to practice it. You thank your stars that the war is "over there," and not here at your doorstep. And you feel grateful to the boys in khaki who are keeping it and winning it "over there." Turn your gratitude into War Savings Stamps.

Real and Sham.

If any Paris or Bourbon county fellow wants to look a little bit like a soldier without the trouble of actually being one, he can have a belt sewed on his coat or his overcoat at an average cost per snappy garment of about one war savings certificate.

The leaders of this mode of camouflage wear belts about their coats, but we saw one sartorial buddy parading down Main street in this city a few days ago who had his "vest" or waistcoat thus encircled. But anyone who puts a belt around his shirt (they'll come this summertime) ought to have another behind his ear.

A society dame from Pumpkin Hollow, New York, got her picture in the admiring New York papers recently by having her Palm Beach riding suit cut on the lines of the Royal Flying Corps uniform. Our allies have no remedy in the matter, and anybody who cares to do so can rig up a bow-legged baby in the dress of the Bersaglieri or the Chasseurs Alpins. All it takes is a little cheap nerve.

After all, it does not matter much. Those who are helping to win the war will keep right on doing so, and those who show their zeal by flourishing bits of cloth will keep on doing that. It's the eternal difference between real and sham, and even this war does not rouse some of them to see it.

America.

Rabbit Abba H. Silver, of Cleveland, Ohio, a native of Russia, recently delivered one of the most beautiful tributes to America we have ever read. It follows:

"God built a continent of glory and filled it with treasures untold. He studded it with sweet-flowing fountains and traced it with long, winding streams. He carpeted it with soft-rolling plains and columned it with thundering mountains. He planted it with deep-shadowed forests and filled them with songs.

"Then he called unto a thousand

and summoned the bravest among them. They came from the ends of the earth, each bearing a gift and a hope. The glow of adventure was in their eyes and in their hearts glory of hope.

"And out of the bounty of the earth and the labor of men, out of the longing of hearts and the prayers of souls, out of the memory of ages and the hopes of the world, God fashioned a nation in love, blessed it with purpose sublime and called it America."

The Pep of the Free.

The Kaiser, in a St. Louis Post-Dispatch cartoon, asks a German chemist why he cannot make some of the American pep which has played such havoc in the German lines recently.

"It cannot be done in an imperial laboratory," replies the chemist.

There is a good deal of truth in the Post-Dispatch cartoonist's picture. The Germans are beginning to feel the effect of the pep of a free people who are led, not driven, by their officers, and who are fighting not for gain, but for the preservation of the privileges of freemen.

There is nothing under the sun like the spirit of a free people in a fight for right. Had France or England been an autocracy such as Germany is the Kaiser would have reached Paris in the fall of 1914. It was the spirit of the soldiers of France, the most republican republic, and of England, "a crowned democracy," which made the victory of the Germans impossible.

"WORK-OR-FIGHT" ORDER MOST DRASTIC OF WAR.

The far-reaching character of the new "work-or-fight" regulations, under which the government proposes to put every man of draft age into some useful employment or into the army, probably will not be fully realized by the country until the effects of its operation appear in every community.

The sweeping character of the Government's purpose to put every able man of draft age either into the army or some useful occupation is indicated by Provost Marshal General Crowder's official announcement, but inasmuch as every case will come up determination on its merits as the operation of the regulation goes forward, it will become apparent that the scope of the Government's action probably is limitless.

As an outgrowth if the plan conceived and known as "putting the nation to work," the new regulations probably will be more and more closely applied as the war goes on, or until it becomes necessary to raise the draft age above 31. Military authorities are of the opinion now that it will not be necessary to raise the draft age, and that the man-power of the nation is sufficient if those now of draft age are fully utilized.

The first effect of the new regulations will be to drive idlers to work or into the army. Moreover, it will be the idler's own responsibility to get a useful job before July 1. Then will come the determination of what constitutes useful employment, and this, it is pointed out, will come in for closer and closer determination as the war goes on. An employment reasonably useful under present conditions might by the developments of the war come to be considered useless in comparison with the greater needs of the war.

ATTENTION DOG OWNERS—THE NEW DOG LAW.

The recent session of the 1918 Kentucky Legislature enacted into law an act relating to dogs, requiring them to be listed with the assessor at the time of assessing property as required by law, providing for license and tags for each and every dog to be issued by the county clerk of the various counties in Kentucky, and for failure to list each dog, as well as for any other violation of the act, a penalty of not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment of not exceeding three months, or both, at the discretion of the court, is prescribed.

"The word 'owner' when applied to the proprietorship of a dog, shall include every person having a right of property in such dog, and every person who keeps or harbors such dog or has it in his care, and every person who permits dog on or about any premises occupied by him."

In order to achieve the results intended by the passage of this act, it will be necessary for a rigid enforcement of this measure. Therefore it behooves every one to list each and every dog with the assessor.

JAPANESE HOLD WAR CONFERENCE IN TOKIO.

LONDON, June 17.—An important council, attended by Prince Fushimi, Field Marshals Yamagata and Terauchi (the premier), Lieut. Gen. Oshima, the war minister, and others was held in the general staff office in Tokio. A joint conference of the field marshals and admirals followed.

The military correspondents of the Tokio newspaper, Asahi, says that the business considered by the council was the abolition of the brigade system for the army, adoption of a corps system similar to the German, and the increase of the army to 25 corps of two divisions each, with each division containing three regiments.

Alterations also are contemplated in the navy, the correspondent adds.

When you buy War Savings Stamps you do not give your money, you loan it at 4 per cent. compounded quarterly. You help your Government, but you help yourself even more.

"CHARACTER ASSASSIN IS MURDERER OF THE SOUL."

They that kill the body are not to be feared, but they that destroy the soul—is the teaching of the Bible.

The worst kind of a murderer is the "character assassin." He is more contemptible than the Hun who rams you with his bayonet—for in going "over the top" it's either you or he—and you have an almost equal chance.

But the man or woman who sets out to destroy your reputation—and this kind of a job isn't limited to either sex—uses only the weapons and the methods which have made the Hun the most despised of all fighters in the world's history—weapons and methods that parallel the Hun's use of poison gas, the submarine, the Zeppelin and his indefensible assaults on defenseless non-combatants.

The "character assassin" never fights in the open where you can either get at him or at least defend yourself—he fights from an ambush, he uses "camouflage" to cover up his motives, he is a consummate hypocrite, using pious phrases which deceive even the "elect" professing to do God's service.

He sometimes accomplishes his purposes by complete silence—when just a word from him would set you right with those who are discussing you.

And his silence is more contemptible than the slanderous remarks of your enemies who are fighting in "No Man's Land" because it is usually more cold-blooded—whereas the definite charge of your accuser may be due to the heat of fancied wrong, and there's just a chance for you when the slander is clearly stated.

Another Hun weapon of the "character assassin" is the shrug of the shoulders when you are being discussed—that's all.

And it's quite enough—used at just the right moment.

It's as fatal as the hand-grenade timed to blow men to eternity in just five seconds from the time of its release.

Most hideous of all Hun weapons used by the "character assassin" is the smile—that superior, indulgent, eye-brow lifting, lip hardening smirk—the degradation of one of God's most wonderful gifts to men, for it was only to men that he gave this beautiful expression of the soul—the smile.

But used by the murderer of the soul—the "character assassin"—it becomes the weapon of the devil.

TELLS WOMEN FIGHTING WILL NOT BRING PEACE.

Bishop Charles E. Woodcock, of Louisville, at the closing session of the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs, in Lexington, almost startled the delegates when he declared that "peace brought by fighting is not lasting, and that this war will not be ended when peace is declared, but simply suspended for a time, and will break out again."

Bishop Woodcock said: "No peace can be lasting until we have some such plan as an international law which can be depended upon to prevent the larger nations from taking advantage of their smaller neighbors."

WASHINGTON TO GIVE OUT WEEKLY REVIEWS OF WAR

Weekly reviews of what is transpiring on the battle fields of Europe will be given the American public hereafter by the War Department through the newspaper correspondents in Washington. Secretary Baker announced that he believed it essential that the public should have better understanding of events at the front and said he had asked General March, Chief of Staff, to arrange for the weekly review.

Your own common sense will tell that you cannot buy now all the things you bought before we had a war to win. Your buying must be restricted and your savings invested in War Savings Stamps.

Line up and sign up on National War Savings Day.

MICKIE SAYS

AIN'T IT FUNNY, HOW WHEN A FELLER GETS SORE AN STOPS HIS PAPER, HE ACTS SURPRISED BECAUSE WE DON'T ALL BUST OUT INTO TEARS AND HANG GRAPE ON THE DOOR?



THE JULY WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION.

The July Woman's Home Companion is an extremely interesting number, containing splendid stories, several unusual articles, and many helpful suggestions. Kathleen Norris, the well-known writer, has written a story of France after the war entitled "Nineteen-Thirty." There is also Margaret Deland's third article from France "Napoleon and Others," and delightful short stories by Sophie Kerr and Sylvia Chatfield Bates. The amusing novelette, "Oh, Annice," by Alexine Hayland, is concluded in this number, and there is another Jimmie Preston story by Mary Heaton Vorse, which will appeal strongly to everyone who has ever helped with a patriotic bazar.

Among the articles is one on "The Girl of Seventeen" by her mother, and a whimsical vegetarian revel on "Garden Sass," by Laura Hinkley. In the picture section Louis Raemaekers, the famous Dutch cartoonist, has a wonderful drawing "The Stars and Stripes." The fashion department is filled with clever suggestions. Grace Tabor has an encouraging article on midsummer gardening, and the cooking department presents a number of appetizing summer salad recipes.

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NOTICE

The Electric Dry Cleaning Company, heretofore operating in Paris, Ky., and composed of Walter Clark and D. W. Traugott, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The said D. W. Traugott assumes all the obligations of the old firm and is entitled to collect all the outstanding accounts due said firm, this June 10, 1918.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF—

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As executor of the estate of W. T. Ficklen, deceased, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, on Main Street, on

Saturday, June 29, 1918,

beginning at 2 o'clock, the two story brick business building belonging to estate of the late W. T. Ficklen, located just in front of the Paris Court House.

This is one of the best located and most desirable business properties in Paris. The lot has a frontage on Main Street of 45.7 feet, more or less, and extends back to Pleasant Street a distance of 220 feet, more or less.

On the Main Street frontage is located two store rooms and an entrance to the upper floors of the building, which is divided into numerous living rooms. The Pleasant Street frontage is improved with a hitching stable, work shop and driveway.

This property is of sufficient size to make it particularly desirable for an up-to-date garage, or for a modern retail business block. The rear of the property, fronting on Pleasant Street being also well adapted for business purposes.

TERMS—One-third of the purchase price cash in hand; the balance due and payable in equal installments in one and two years, the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum. A lien will be retained to secure the payment of said deferred payments, or purchaser may pay all cash, at his option, and stop interest.

Following the above sale at 2 p. m., on the premises, opposite the Court House, the household and kitchen furniture, etc., will also be sold. This will include a lot of bric-a-brac and an innumerable collection of various articles. Also a lot of bees and honey.

GEORGE W. STUART,

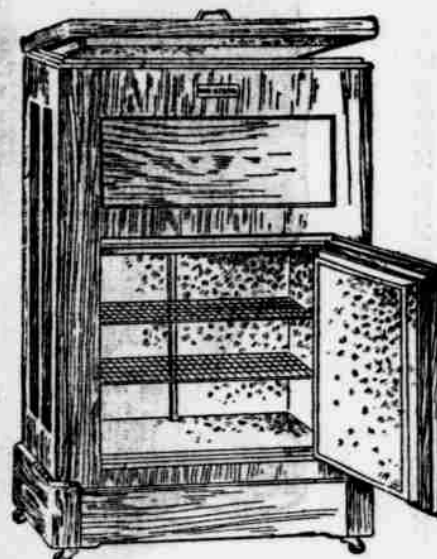
Executor of W. T. FICKLEN, Deceased.

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M. F. KENNEY, Auctioneer.
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